

## SLT Meeting Minutes

**Date:** February 23, 2021

**Time:** 4:00 PM-6:00 PM

**Participants:** Donny Lopez, Samantha Seigel, Matthew Goodwin, Kelly Aherne, Nathalie Roussel, Allyce Fucigna, Meredith Inbal, Johna Hansen, Cyrus Boquin, Anthony McCormick, Jeanie Ahn, Emily Little

**Meeting Minutes Prepared by:** Johna Hansen

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### 4:06 PM - Call to Order, Approval of Agenda & Minutes

#### Principal's Report - Updates and Budget

- Parent Teacher Conferences next week
  - 10 minutes, but parents can always use parent engagement time if they need more time
- Grading
  - Keeping flexible policy
    - N (needs improvement)
    - students above will get a 3 or 4
- Budget for projected incoming students
  - usually projected based on past 5 years
  - Projected 490 for 2020-2021
  - Currently have 455
  - September projected for 449
    - Possibly will get 20 families more
    - Fall - unpredictable
    - Decisions based on programming
    - Mr. Lopez and SLT members think should stick with 449 as projected number of students because if Mr. Lopez reports a higher projected number then the school will be in deficit and need to pay back
    - No specific needs of the school now that would need extra funding up front

#### PTA report

- Fundraisers
  - Virtual game night Friday 2/26
  - Talent Show 3/19
    - Mostly prerecorded talents, but some live
- PTA meeting on Thursday
- After PTA meeting - workshop: "Improving your child's cooperation"

### **G&T and DL program updates**

- “Connections”
  - SLT members had 8 minutes as a group to share whatever they wanted without discussion about the below given topic and only one opportunity to speak during this time
  - Topic: No screening for 2021 G&T, G&T replaced with lottery. However, also - all PreK program teachers assess and recommend students who they think should be in G&T and those students will go into lottery
  - Parent and teacher reports were in favor of integration
- ELL & SWD federally funded therefore dual Language and ICT will always be part of P.S. 163 programming
- Subcommittee (Anthony McCormick and Kelly Aherne) formed to work on integration framework and communication of new framework to parents

### **CEP Goals**

Each CEP subcommittee will email Mr. Lopez with updates to goals

### **5:25 Meeting Close**

**NEXT MEETING MARCH 23, 2021 5:00 PM**